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IMPORTANT NOTICE  
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TO ALL LADIES

THAT  
MARK FOY'S,  
OXFORD-STREET,  
HYDE PARK,

IS CLOSED TO-DAY,  
RE-MARKING THE WHOLE STOCK  
TO  
FAIR PRICES.  
TO OPEN

**NEXT SATURDAY.**

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**Public Notice.**

**SELF-DENIAL FOR**

**PRINCE ALFRED HOSPITAL.**

**THE MAYORRESS OF SYDNEY (Mrs. Manning)**

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with Superior Public School, 21 is sold; Mr. John W. C. Smith, 43—628 B.

**Furniture.**

**FURNITURE FOR THE MILLINERY**  
 AT ANTHONY HOBDEEN'S.

The small buyer or the large investor can always get what he wants. If it is a single chair that's wanted it's all right to the tick; if a household fit for a monarch's palace it's equally forthcoming. There's no limit to the choice, the quality and extent of which is one of the wonders of South.

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OUR ONLY ADDRESS:  
ANTHONY BORDEN and SONS,  
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A GENUINE FURNITURE SALE.

A. HALL and COMPANY.

will offer this on the following days that the IMMENSE STOCK OF FURNITURE AND CARPETS OVER \$10,000 VALUE, REGARDLESS OF COST HALF'S EXTENSIVE SHOW ROOMS are completely packed with the Latest Productions from Europe's Leading Manufacturers.

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Goods can remain until required FREE. PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

A. HALL AND COMPANY,  
204, 2nd, 3rd, 5th, 567 George-street.

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THE CITY, DAVIDSON AND CO., 81 Oxford-st.  
Before purchasing elsewhere inspect our large and varied stock of  
**WANTED, immediately, cash purchaser** Fur-  
niture, bed, etc., etc., no dealers. Furniture. Fur-  
**GENT**, cheap, 1st class, has sup. **FURNITURE**  
for SALE, cheap, 1st class, has sup. **FURNITURE**  
**FURNITURE** 3-roomed house—Double a-  
Single Bedsteads, Bedding, 2 Chests of Draw-  
ers, Washstands, Looking Glasses, etc. To be seen be-  
fore 10 o'clock. **W. W. WALLACE**, 101 W. Madison-st.

**For Sale.**  
**FURNITURE**, plain and good, for **SALOON**,  
 modestly, a room, with Cottage Piano, the lot can  
 or separately. Apply, 10 to 1 or 2 to 6.30, on Ada-ter-  
 Old P. Matter-nd, P. Lodge, near grocer's shop and Row  
**PAPER SHAVINGS.** For SALE, a quanti-  
 ty of clean SHAVINGS, suitable for packing. Apply  
 Counter Clerk, Herald Office.  
**STAMPS.**—Largest Stock in Australia, lowest pri-  
 ces. Gratis. Victor's Stamp Depot, 75 Elizabeth  
**COUNTRY PEOPLE.**—Ladies' first class Lau-  
 ry of oil, paint, and catalogues. Sydney Shoe Co., Gen.  
**SECOND-HAND** Safety Bicycle, pneuma-  
 tic style. O. Scherer, Garfield Ave., 20 Catara-  
 gus St. **SALE.**

**S**afety bicycle for sale. No. 1 New Ray  
in good order, cheap. Address Tactico, Hemlock.  
**T**he most beautiful complexion in the world  
See Madame Rita, 64 and 66 The Strand.  
**W**atch, 14-plate English lever, pierced \$1,  
wanted ticket, cost £8. 00 Furber & Co., Wellington.  
**S**inger's Sewing Machine, quite new, \$7,  
cost £40. Brighton Hall, Pennsylvania, Potomac.

**Wanted to Purchase.**

**T**HE original Mr. and Mrs. PHILLIPS give  
highest cash price for every description of Ladies' or  
Gent's clothing, hats, shoes, furs, etc. Confidential to  
Grant. Letters att. Only address - 288 Coulson-st. N.Y.

**M** R. and Miss **MATCHLESS**  
145 and 145 Bathurst-street,  
13-established Left-off Clothing Bazaar, still going  
at the price for the last 10 years. Ladies' Dress  
Old Goods and Artificial Teeth bought. Letters  
attended. Only address, 145 and 145 Bathurst-street.

**M** R. and Mrs. **WOOLF** respectfully inform all  
Mr. and gentlemen that they will allow the stated va-  
lues for every article of Left-off Clothing, and  
Letters attended to. 154 Bathurst-street, only.

**LADIES' and Gent.'s Left-off Clothing** bought  
Letters att. by Mrs. or Mrs. Gubbins, or George-st.  
**LEFT-off Clothing** Bought, letters attended  
Mr. and Mrs. White. 95 Liverpool-st., near George-st.

**COCKATOOS** wanted, grey or green, good talk-  
ing. Mr. J. W. Old, Birdseller, or Ringer.

**W**anted for removal. C.H. Post-office, Annapolis.

**C**OOKING STOVE wanted. State price, make, size, and conditions to Stove, Campersville, P.O.

**L**ADIES requiring Beautiful Complexions or Hair Dyed should see Madame Rita, 64 and 66 The First

**W**ILL Purchase Old Cords, or Cork. Manager Kettie's House, Georgetown, D.C. Everywhere.

**B**ICYCLES (Rafsky), wanted to Buy. Full price. Send to G. H. Herald Office.

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### SOME CURIOSITIES

**GAMBLING.**

(London Evening Standard.)

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If it be true that "hope springs eternal from the human breast," assuredly the spirit of man

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present time uses shells as dice—dice that, of course, were originally only the knuckle of an animal. Perhaps the strangest shift

not be gamblers are put in exemplified position in verse among the Italian poets. Sicilian and Provençal men are allowed to gamble; their gambles are not only legal, but they gambled in the dust and dirt around them, and during various specimens of Italian poetry, the gambler is allowed to bet on how many jumps into the ring, or if they will jump, how many will jump out within a given time. I am not everyone who can carry his game to the end.

At Rome very stringent laws against gaming were made by the Emperors, and gradually wrote a treatise on the scenes of gaming, and the laws of the game, and the laws to play the dice for ever with a hot iron. In France gambling has always flourished, and the Emperor has always been anxious to prevent anyone attempting to check it. Alphonsus was the first to prohibit it, and subsequently Alphonsus published an edict with the *señal* of the crown, and all proved vain. By the time of Louis XIV. the game of chance had become too great. Mazarin played on his lay estate, and he became so weak, when he was at the end of his life, that he was obliged to leave the game of chance to his son, who was not a gamester, 1,700,000 francs, the fortune of John Law, a Scotchman, was the result of the extraordinary idea of setting up

of all the gaming houses in the  
for which privilege they paid the

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ole tells a characteristic story about a certain favorite, who, when still under 21 years of age, at £11,000 one night, but increased it by a

at hand. Whereupon he swore  
with, "Now, if I had been playing good  
wages from London. Famous above all  
the world," said the Chorister, "I have  
been laying at the age of 14 under the direction  
of a master, Lord Hunsdon. So apt did he  
teach, by the time he was 24, his pupils among  
the best of the world. He was a most  
father, who had started him on the path of  
virtue, and was very unlucky in his play, as the  
poet saith:

If I had been a card, if he might have  
Had laid the power of his skill first.  
He had not been so strict, with so many bad knaves  
And so few good, that he might have  
And he might have lost, for the wronged of  
himself, and he might have lost his life.  
It was little wonder for him that he  
he was beaten. Besides found him after a part  
of his enormous reading Herodotus; and  
the other of his surprise. For remarked, "What  
do you have me to do, I have lost my  
calling?"

Much more serious than the stakes with  
himself. For he had been three days  
men when he was found. These played  
men, found in the Hampton-road. These  
sailed; the other was hanging by his neck from  
the gallows. He had lost his money, and  
money, then for their clothes; lastly, for

1611, declared them a public nuisance, except one held under special grants and patents.

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le air-passages give less protection to the nose we find that while the negroes living

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At a recent meeting of the Acad-

inscriptions, M. Chapiro made a communication on the origin of Doric architecture. It has been stated that this style, with all its characteristic favorable features, was created in all its details by the Greeks. But M. Chapiro, basing himself on the discoveries of Schliemann at Hisarlik, in Mysia, showed that the origin of all the secondary forms of Doric architecture is to be found in the buildings of those ancient cities. It is the work of the pre-Homeric palaces that the Greeks copied, or rather copied, in their Doric temples, with different proportions, the entablature, the columns and the capitals, and the other temple reproductions, part by part, of the Doric entablature of the Mycenaean palaces, the wooden entablature of the Mycenaean















